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PATENT APPLICATION

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CASE 11

TITLE A Multi-Protocol Modulator

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Specification
11 Sheets of informal drawing(s)
1 Assignment with Cover Sheet
Declaration and Power of Attorney

| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | |
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| | NO. FILED | NO. EXTRA | RATE | CALCULATIONS |
| Total Claims | 23-20 = | 3 | x \$18 = | \$54 |
| Independent Claims | 3-3 = | 0 | x \$80 = | \$0 |
| Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable | | | \$270 = | \$0 |
| Basic Fee | | | | \$710 |
| TOTAL FEE: | | | | \$764 |

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